

IN THE SPECIFICATION

The paragraph beginning on page 8, line 17 is amended as follows:

If the motion distance is less the motion threshold value, then the motion vector of the damaged macroblock is estimated using the equation at 455:

*motion vector of the damaged macroblock = (~~α~~ α * motion vector of the macroblock located substantially adjacent and above the damaged macroblock + (1- α) * motion vector of the macroblock located substantially below the damaged macroblock).*